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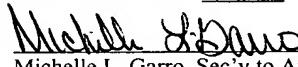


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In the application of)
MULLET et al.) Group Art Unit 3634
Serial No.: 10/790,447) JOHNSON, Blair M., Examiner
Filed: February 26, 2004)
For: TENSIONING TOOL FOR)
A COUNTERBALANCE)
SYSTEM FOR)
SECTIONAL DOORS)
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RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 19, 2007, the Applicants, through their attorney, respond as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are shown in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.